



Rodeo Days

JSC combines education, fun, entertainment for Go Texan, Rodeo Days

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Space-age technology is about to revert to the mystique of the Old West as JSC saddles up for Go Texas and Rodeo time.

When looking at the slate of activities, it may be tough not to be caught up in the fun of that rough and tumble part of the past. Rodeo activities will be featured during the entire rodeo period from Feb. 14 to Mar. 2.

“We will use this time to highlight

JSC’s participation in the Longhorn Project also,” said Larry Neu, chairman of the rodeo activities planning committee, referring to the scholarship awards program.

JSC, in cooperation with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and the NASA/Clear Creek/ Friendswood Go Texan Association, will have featured speakers during lunch time on Jan. 30 at the Bldgs. 3 and 11 cafeterias, the Lone Star Cowboy singing group, a solo singing cowboy, line

dancing demonstrations and the Vaquero. Rodeo clowns and small animals will entertain the children at the Child Care Center. Dress Western days will be held Jan. 30, Feb. 5, and for three of the four Fridays in February — Feb. 14, 21, 28.

“One of the highlights at JSC will be the appearance on Feb. 5 of the Texas Independence Trail Riders,” Neu said. “One hundred and twenty-five horses and riders, plus several wagons, will mosey through the center and lunch at

Rocket Park. All JSC employees are invited to join the trail riders. Several area restaurants will be selling food and drinks. Live entertainment will be offered, and everyone will have a chance to meet the trail riders and also learn about the Longhorn Project, the cooperative effort between JSC, the Clear Creek Independent School District, the local Go Texan subcommittee and the Livestock Show and Rodeo officials to further agricultural education at the high school level.” □

Every year, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo awards a \$10,000 four-year scholarship to a graduating senior at each of the four local high schools-Clear Lake, Clear Creek, Clear Brook, and Friendswood. For information on Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo scholarship, contact the counselor at individual high schools.

1994-1996 Winners of the NASA/Clear Creek/Friendswood Metro Go Texas Subcommittee Scholarships		
Year	School	Name
1994	Clear Brook	Christine Benson
	Clear Lake	Susanna Campbell
	Clear Creek	Jennifer Tyler
	Friendswood	Daniel Hopkins
1995	Clear Brook	Aren Cambre
	Clear Lake	Jennifer Heard
	Clear Creek	Jenny Johnson
	Friendswood	Todd Swonke
1996	Clear Brook	Troy Espenfaub
	Clear Creek	Gaito Marie Ashley
	Clear Lake	David Lennington
	Friendswood	Melissa Minton
	Friendswood	Wendy Ward

1997 JSC “GO TEXAS/RODEO DAYS” SCHEDULE OF EVENTS	
DATE	EVENT
Friday, Jan. 24	Go Texas Style Show at Gilruth Center
Thursday, Jan. 30	JSC Dress Western Day Bldgs. 3 and 11 cafeterias, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo speakers The Lone Star Cowboy singing group A solo-singing cowboy Line dancing demonstrations The Vaquero
Wednesday, Feb. 5	Rocket Park, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Texas Independence Trail Riders Long Horn Project Sneak Preview Live entertainment Area restaurants selling food and drinks
Friday, Feb. 14	JSC Dress Western Day
Friday, Feb. 21	JSC Dress Western Day
Friday, Feb. 28	JSC Dress Western Day

2nd Annual JSC Trail Ride

